

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. **(Currently Amended)** A speaker comprising:
  - a ~~cylindrical~~ frame having a bottom face and an open top;
  - a magnetic circuit disposed on ~~an inner~~the bottom face of the frame;
  - a voice coil having a coil portion thereof disposed in a magnetic gap of the magnetic circuit;
  - a diaphragm disposed in an opening of the frame, and fixed to the voice coil along an inner periphery thereof, and fixed to the frame via a first edge along an outer periphery thereof; and
  - a support having a first end fixed to a magnetic circuit side of the diaphragm ~~on a side of the magnetic circuit at one end~~, and a second end fixed to a vicinity of the magnetic circuit via a second edge ~~at another end~~;wherein the first edge ~~is~~ has a substantially similar shape ~~analogous~~ to the second edge ~~in shape with respect to a boundary therebetween~~.
2. **(Original)** The speaker of claim 1, wherein the support is fixed to an end of the magnetic circuit via the second edge.
3. **(Original)** The speaker of claim 1, wherein the support is fixed, via the second edge, to a fixed part provided along an outer periphery of the magnetic circuit.
4. **(Original)** The speaker of claim 3, wherein the fixed part is integrally formed with the frame.
5. **(Original)** The speaker of claim 3, wherein a distance from the bottom face of the frame to a side end face of the second edge of the fixed part is smaller than a distance from the bottom face to an end of the magnetic circuit.
6. **(Original)** The speaker of claim 1, wherein the first edge and the second edge are made of

substantially a same material.

7. **(New)** A speaker, comprising:

- a frame having a bottom face and an open top;
- a magnetic circuit disposed on the bottom face of the frame;
- a voice coil having a coil portion thereof disposed in a magnetic gap of the magnetic circuit;
- a diaphragm being disposed in an opening of the frame, and fixed to the voice coil along an inner periphery thereof, and fixed to the frame via a first edge along an outer periphery thereof; and
- a support having a first end fixed to a magnetic circuit side of the diaphragm, and a second end fixed at to a vicinity of the magnetic circuit via a second edge;
- wherein the first edge has a substantially similar shape to the second edge; and
- wherein the support is fixed, via the second edge, to a fixed part provided along an outer periphery of the magnetic circuit

8. **(New)** The speaker of claim 7, wherein the fixed part is integrally formed with the frame.

9. **(New)** The speaker of claim 7, wherein a distance from the bottom face of the frame to a side end face of the second edge of the fixed part is smaller than a distance from the bottom face to an end of the magnetic circuit.

10. **(New)** The speaker of claim 7, wherein the frame is cylindrical.

11. **(New)** The speaker of claim 1, wherein the frame is cylindrical.